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# EL PASO HERALD

## PREPARE TO FOR WATER, S HILL'S ADVICE

Engineer Says Water Will  
Be Available Before Land  
Is Ready, It Appears.

90,000 ACRES CAN  
BE IRRIGATED SOON

GET the land ready for water from the Elephant Butte dam next spring. "Don't wait until next spring to start. Begin right now to clear, level and build laterals on all the land signed up under the Elephant Butte project. The water will be available before the land is ready to receive it and preparation is sure to be the chief profit from the land of the valleys." This is the advice of the engineer of the dam, the constructing engineer of the reclamation service, returned to El Paso with the warning that the water would be ready for delivery to the land before the land would be ready to receive it.

250,000 Acres Feet by Spring. "By next spring the water in the big dam will be up high enough to serve the valleys," said Mr. Hill Friday morning. "By that time there will be about 250,000 and 300,000 acres of land above the river bed and with the usual flow of water there will be enough available for all the land that is now under cultivation or can be put under cultivation by that time. This quantity of water is about one-half of the annual outflow of the dam and will be sufficient to irrigate 90,000 acres. At the present time 10,000 there are less than 50,000 acres ready for water, out of a total of 150,000 acres in the entire project."

Construction Progresses Rapidly. The dam is being built at the rate of 20,000 yards of concrete per month, which is double the rate of construction work on the big Roosevelt dam. There are 100 men working on the dam and by June 1 the construction work will be in full swing again as the forms are being put in for the next level. The amount of concrete poured into the big dam and the amount of concrete to be poured into the bulk of the dam and the total bulk of the dam could be poured solid concrete in 10 days with the concrete that is being dumped into the dam, according to this estimate.

## URGES MINERS TO BE U. S. CITIZENS

Trinidad, Colo., May 22.—Col. James Leckert, in command of the federal military forces in Colorado today began the distribution to the miners in the southern coal fields of a pamphlet urging them to become naturalized citizens of the United States. The booklet, which is published by the national society of the Sons of the American Revolution, contains instructions to the military authorities in eight languages. Col. Leckert sent packages of the pamphlets to the various military commands with instructions to get them into the hands of the miners.

## WILSON HOPES CONFERENCES WILL SETTLE MINE STRIKE

Washington, D. C., May 22.—Hope that a solution of the Colorado strike situation might be found as a result of the work being done by two men sent to the scene by secretary of labor Wilson, was expressed by the secretary at the cabinet meeting today. The two men, one representing coal miners and the other representing operators, are holding conferences with principals to the controversy.

## ATTEMPTS TO EXPEDITE COURTMARTIALS; FAILS

Denver, Colo., May 22.—Efforts of Judge Advocate General C. Smith to expedite the trials of officers who participated in the battle at Ludlow April 20 by means of a joint hearing were frustrated today, when the defendants demanded a separate trial.

Lieut. Landerfelt entered a plea of not guilty to the charges of arson, murder, manslaughter and larceny.

## EDITOR-PRINTER IMPRISONED AFTER COURT MARTIAL

St. Petersburg, Russia, May 22.—Prince Mestochinsky, editor and proprietor of the newspaper "Grashinskiy," was today sentenced by court martial to a week's imprisonment for publishing statements in regard to a mutiny on the vessels of the Russian Baltic fleet in 1912.

## WOMAN TAUNTS BRITAIN'S KING

LONDON, ENGL., May 22.—King George and queen Mary were compelled to listen to the harangue of a militant suffragette today while they were attending a matinee at his majesty's theater. A woman rose in the audience and addressed the king. "You Russian king," she shrieked.

The attendants quickly rushed in and tried to get the woman down. She was chained to the seat. She had to file through a link before she could be removed. While this was in progress, half a dozen women in various parts of the theater started shouting at his majesty. One of them jumped on the stage and commenced a cheer. When she had been thrown out, others began.

Eventually all the the disturbers were ejected. The police had a hard struggle to save them from rough handling by the crowd.

## MAY ASK REBELS TO JOIN PEACE PARLEY

May Send Representative, but He Would Not Have the Authority to Suspend Activities Against Huerta Forces; Vasconcelos May Be the Man Selected by Carranza to Join Mediators.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—In circles close to the "Constitutionalists" here, it was expected today that within 24 hours a renewed invitation would be extended to the "Constitutionalists" to be represented at the Niagara Falls mediation conference. Whether or not Carranza would accept the invitation it was not known, but it was positively asserted that, should he do so, it would be without declaring an armistice or agreeing to check his campaign against Huerta's forces.

Cabinet Discusses Carranza's Attitude. President Wilson discussed with the cabinet today reports received from American commissioners Lamar and Lehmann at the Niagara Falls Mexican mediation conference. Among subjects of particular interest to cabinet members was the announcement that the Mexican "Constitutionalists" leaders had decided to send a representative to Niagara Falls.

Further reports of progress of the negotiations at Niagara Falls were received by the president during the night from the American commissioners, but nothing was made public regarding the nature of the discussions.

Secretary Bryan, before entering the cabinet room, said he had hope that definite word would be received from vice consul Silliman at Saltillo before night.

Vasconcelos Is Chosen. Jose Vasconcelos, now at Montreal on a financial mission for Carranza, is understood to be the man chosen to go to Niagara Falls. It was said he would arrive there within the next few days.

After long conference yesterday in the South American mediators and the Mexican delegates Thursday night at Niagara Falls the former decided to say what would be their attitude toward a representative of the "Constitutionalists." This question was the

## SPANISH COTTON OWNERS WANT AID

Washington, D. C., May 22.—The Spanish ambassador, Mr. Riano, submitted to the state department today a request for the good offices of the United States in behalf of the Spanish cotton growers of the Tucson district. The Spanish growers, who are Venustiano Carranza to accept \$15 a bale for the delivery of some 150,000,000 worth of cotton confiscated by the rebels.

Secretary of state Bryan said he would do what he could for the cotton growers who complain that the ransom of \$30 a bale demanded by Carranza is prohibitive, since the cotton is already pledged for that sum, half its value, to banks for advances made to cover costs of cultivation.

## LOZANO IS REPORTED HELD UNDER ARREST

Veracruz, Mex., May 22.—Jose Maria Lozano, who has resigned as minister of communications, is reported to have been arrested by Mexican City, and to have been arrested outside the city by a detail of Huerta soldiers, who returned him to the capital.

In his letter of resignation, Lozano said: "Under the difficult situation of Mexico, I believe it to be a patriotic duty to resign, in order to allow the executive to appoint a new adviser, who will act according to the new ideals and inclination of the Mexican people."

## CONSUL CONFIRMS KILLING OF URBAN

Washington, D. C., May 22.—Confirmation of the killing by Mexicans of Richard Urban, an American citizen of German birth, was received by the state department today. American consular agent Montague at Cananea, Son., reported that Urban and a companion were attacked without provocation at Pointed Mountain, 15 miles west of Nacozari. A band of Mexicans fired freely at the two men, wounding Urban and killing him. The companion, Urban's friend, was killed, but his companion escaped.

## FEDERALS EXECUTE OWN GENERAL WHO DESERTED

Mexico City, Mex., May 22.—Brig. Gen. Juan Solares, who deserted from the federal army, was executed today at Acapulco, Sinaloa, was recaptured by the federals and hanged by his own orders received at the capital.

## WOMAN TAUNTS BRITAIN'S KING

The turmoil of the battle in the vicinity of Buckingham palace, where a column of determined women attacked Thursday, to reach the king with a petition, had barely subsided when early this morning a woman arose in the audience and addressed the king. "You Russian king," she shrieked.

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## WELLES LIVES WARD POSSESSES VERY LITTLE

"I've Had One Experience  
With Political Bosses,"  
Magnate Asserts.

SAYS WORCESTER  
DEAL WAS "HOLDUP"

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Charles S. Mellin, former president of the New Haven railroad, expressed a poor opinion of "political bosses" today when he resumed his testimony before the interstate commerce commission.

Joseph W. Folk, chief counsel for the commission, asked Mr. Mellin about the purchase of the Tarrytown, White Plains and Mamaroneck railway, an electric line which the New Haven bought at auction for \$330,000.

"Who bid against you?" asked Mr. Folk.

"The Third Avenue reorganization committee of New York," Mr. Mellin testified that the people who objected to New Haven's purchase of the railroad were "political bosses" usually on hand.

"I haven't had much experience with them. I had my experience with them in the Worcester transaction. That was enough."

"A Hold Up," Says Mellin. Mr. Folk interrogated Mr. Mellin concerning the acquisition of the Worcester Railway and Investment company. He asked why William A. Read & Co. of New York, who paid \$10 more a share than had been paid to others.

"That was a hold up," answered Mr. Mellin, adding: "An intimation came to me that if we wanted the road it would be a good idea to trade for stock."

"They reach the spot," Mr. Mellin, repeating previous testimony given him regarding the payment of a \$10,000 in commissions to E. P. Foster, who had been a head of the Worcester Railway.

"Have you told us everything about this transaction?" "Well, after I go to bed at night, I have been reflecting I think of things that might have been brought out and I turn over and congratulate myself that they were not."

## ODDITIES

In the Day's News  
Says Wife Evaporated!

To Fat for Rescue!

Robbed; Grows Dumb!

BECAUSE HE HAS NOT HEARD from his wife in four years, Frank De Barr, the swami, is convinced she has evaporated in New York, she has the power of dematerialization, he says.

ADOLPH HARTLEY, WEIGHING 267 pounds, could not be rescued when he fell and stuck in a narrow arched way in Hoboken, N. Y., until part of a brick wall was removed.

IN PLAIN VIEW OF HUNDREDS of pedestrians robbers carried a 1000-pound safe from a window in Chicago loop restaurant to the basement, where it was blown open and \$270 in currency obtained.

ANDREW AND FRANK OROSKI were 31 with their brother, Stephen, that they could swim 150 yards from their rowboat and back, at South Beach, Long Beach, Calif., were selected with exams, clutched Andrew and both were drowned.

RAYMOND VERTES ACCUSED A POLICEMAN in Yonkers, N. Y., mentioned for a paper and person in a trolley car, who was robbed of \$10 and thrown from a trolley car. "I have lost my voice," he appeared to have been choked.

AFTER WORKING ONE DAY for eight hours, tramp, "hundreds of miles" and earning \$1.20, Jack Robbins, a "big brother" who became a Chicago messenger boy in order to learn his viewpoint of life, resigned to heal the bilsters on his feet.

DESPONDENT BECAUSE OF HIS inability to sing well in English, Brotha, a Swedish tenor, committed suicide in New York by slashing his throat with a razor.

GEORGE WASHINGTON'S MOUNT Vernon (Va.) home will soon be re-shingled for the fourth time since it was built, in 1743.

"FOLLOW YOUR HUNCH" WAS THE advice given by Miss Julia K. Sommer president of the Chicago Theosophical association, in a speech of tuition is the keynote of the epoch into which we are growing," she declared.

TWO TRENTON (N. J.) WOMEN HAVE just been granted divorce, one because her husband complained he didn't like her face, the other because her husband threw coffee on her baby.

## WELLES TO GO SINGING INTO MEXICO CITY

## VILLA PLANS HIS FINAL TRIUMPH

Worst Rain and Hail in the City's History Destroys Valuable Property.

Chihuahua has been having its troubles with the elements. Americans from the state capital say that the heaviest rain and hail storm in the history of the city occurred Monday and destroyed much valuable property in the city and suburbs of the town. The Chihuahua daily, 48 hooded Holstein cows were washed away by the flood waters from the mountains and were drowned. The water stood five feet high on the retaining walls which surrounded the Chihuahua smelter, in spite of the drainage canals and ditches which had been dug to drain the property.

The water from the mountains came down in a great volume and flooded the lowlands in the suburbs of Chihuahua. No lives were lost in the flood.

## MILITARY AIRS TO FEATURE CONCERT

Military music will be played by the 15th cavalry band in the evening. The program will be given by the 15th cavalry band in the evening. The program will be given by the 15th cavalry band in the evening. The program will be given by the 15th cavalry band in the evening.

## BAND CONCERT AT FORT BLISS TONIGHT

At Fort Bliss this evening the 15th cavalry band will give a concert. The program will be given by the 15th cavalry band in the evening. The program will be given by the 15th cavalry band in the evening.

## ARIZONA NOT TO BE REPRESENTED

Phoenix, Ariz., May 22.—Arizona will not have any representative on the directors of the federal reserve bank for this district for at least six months, according to a telegram to Phoenix by McClung, president of the Phoenix National bank. In his telegram, McClung stated that for the next six months, at least, frequent meetings of the board must be held and all members must be within six hours' ride of San Francisco. He expects that at the end of that time an Arizona man will be named on the board.

## SANTA FE TRAIN GOES INTO DICHT

Albuquerque, N. M., May 22.—Passenger train No. 518, northbound, on the Santa Fe main line to El Paso, was wrecked at La Joya, 60 miles south of Albuquerque, early this morning, when a broken rail sent the engine and seven cars into the ditch. The train was running slowly because of soft track and passengers escaped with a severe shaking up.

Traffic was delayed eight hours. The Santa Fe is having serious trouble with floods from the Rio Grande along the El Paso division.

## CLASH IMMINENT BETWEEN CATTLEMEN AND SQUATTERS

General, N. M., May 22.—Surveyor General Lums, U. S. land recorder, telegraphic advice from eastern Chaves county of impending clashes between cattlemen and squatters on the public domain in townships that have been surveyed and the plate approved by the surveyor general, but not yet approved by the department of the interior. The cattlemen assert that the state has prior claim to these townships and that they had applied to lease such townships as the state would select for state lands, but that squatters are flocking in, putting up fences and wind mills and even homes in anticipation of filing as soon as the state is officially filed in the Roswell land office.

## TRADE COMMISSION BILL AGREED UPON BY HOUSE

Washington, D. C., May 22.—The interstate trade commission bill, the first measure on the administration of anti-trust program, was agreed on late today by the house in committee of the whole house and set aside for final passage in the house after the other two anti-trust bills are ready for passage.

## RETRAYED BY THE IMPRINT OF A PEN INK, WILLIAM AND ROBERT GURLEY

San Jose, Cal., May 22.—William and Robert Gurley, of San Jose, Cal., were arrested, charged with burglary.

Colquitt today received a telegram from Mexican consul Elias, stationed at San Antonio, advising him that he had again wired the government at Mexico City, for further information relative to the fate of consul Silliman, recently imprisoned at Saltillo. The governor has interested himself in the Silliman case and is pressing for definite information concerning the American consul.

NEWSPAPERMEN ARE MISSING. Washington, D. C., May 22.—Secretary Bryan has sent inquiry to Tampico regarding three men who are reported to have disappeared, named Winkler, Wallace and Merrell. They are newspaper men, a reporter and two photographers.

"When We Take Queretaro, We Will March Into Mexico City Singing 'La Golondrina,' Says Villa; Rebels Are Supposed to Be Hard in Pursuit of Fleeing Federal Column Hastening to San Luis Potosi.

"AFTER we capture Queretaro, the key to the capital, we will march into Mexico City singing 'La Golondrina,'" Pancho Villa, "La Golondrina" is Mexico's "Home, Sweet Home." Today his army is supposedly making forced marches southward from the captured city in pursuit of the 10,000 federal army under Gen. Mas and De Mours who evacuated Saltillo Thursday. Since Thursday afternoon no news concerning movements around the fallen stronghold has reached the border.

Federals May Be Checked. It is not even known whether Villa himself has entered Saltillo, although the general opinion is that he is already established there.

It is believed the retreating federals have been checked along the railway between San Luis Potosi and the city they left Thursday. Gen. Malillo Gutierrez's rebel army was assigned the task of checking the federal column of Saltillo and his army of 4000 men may have barred the retreat.

Was Determined to Pursue. Prominent rebel officials here say that Villa, announced before the opening of the Saltillo campaign he had prepared for a federal retreat and predicted that the Huertistas would not make the "getaway" they did at Queretaro. This is cause for the belief that his forces are close on the heels of the fleeing column—if they have not already overtaken them.

## SILLIMAN REPORTED SAFE AT CAPITAL

MEXICO CITY, Mex., May 22.—Vice consul John R. Silliman arrived in the federal capital this morning from Saltillo and was taken to the Brazilian legation.

Following the occupation of Saltillo by Pancho Villa's rebel army Thursday efforts were made at the instance of the United States to get some word regarding the vice consul from "Constitutionalist" sources, but so far without success. Interrupted communication between Torreón and Saltillo is thought a possible reason.

## NO WORD RECEIVED REGARDING SILLIMAN

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## OROZCO CAUGHT IN REBEL TRAP

Salles From San Luis Potosi to Pave Way For Retreat of Federals and Is Defeated by Gen. Torres; the Battle Determines For the First Time in Months Exact Whereabouts of Orozco.

GEN. PASCUAL OROZCO, the "missing man" of Mexican warfare, had a taste of real fighting and felt the power of the revolution Wednesday when a column of 5000 federals whom he had led out from San Luis Potosi against the rebels, were routed by Gen. A. Carrera Torres at the village of Corovado, about 50 miles south of the capital. Advice to this effect reached the office of information in Juarez Friday from Gen. Carranza's headquarters in El Paso.

No mention is made in the dispatch of the losses on either side.

Gen. Carrera Torres personally led the attack of the rebels on the federal positions. Huerta's troops retreated in the direction of San Luis Potosi, destroying the railway behind them as they went. Reinforcements were sent from the state capital to the relief of Orozco's command and the rebels are supposed to be attempting to check the federal advance of the rebels on the city. Gen. Antonio Govea Loya and A. Mendez, federals, were also with the Orozco column.

Orozco's Purpose Thwarted. It is the belief among rebel military and civil officials in Juarez that Orozco sallied out from San Luis Potosi to clear the way for the entrance of the federal army under Gen. Mas and Mours to check the federal advance to join the Huerta troops in San Luis Potosi. His purpose, it is said, was to drive the rebels out of the country between Saltillo and San Luis Potosi.

Orozco has been missing since last January, when Merced's federal army fled across the border from Ojinaga to Saltillo. He has been reported at various points on both sides of the border since that time, but this is the first definite news regarding his whereabouts in several months.

## LAST REFUGEES FLEE TOWARD MANZANILLO

ON board U. S. S. California, Manzanillo, Mex., May 21.—(Via Wire.)—The "Constitutionalist" forces of the division of the northwest are closing rapidly on Guadalajara and a flying squadron of cavalry in preceding the main body with instructions to destroy rail communications between the point of attack and Manzanillo. All refugees are in flight to Manzanillo, their object being to take advantage of an opportunity for escape which may and abruptly at any time.

The "Constitutionalist" at Manzanillo, finding little salvage in the wreck of the federal garrison at Moyotlan, which was abandoned under a raking fire from the enemy after it had been breached, dynamited the bulk today, and the last Huerta warship is now only a mass of junk.